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The Liberty of the Press consists in the right to publish the Truth, with good motives and for justifiable ends. — Alexander Hamilton

Thinking Out Loud

By H. M. L.

To those who have lived three score or more years, the approach of Christmas often gives rise to a feeling of nostagalia. The mince pies that mother not only baked, but for which she had also mixed the mince according to excellently wise formulas handed down to her from her mother, and from all the female ancestors of her house, accent that feeling. The suet, the currants, the choice meat, and the dram of hard liquor that savored it all, were wonderfully and exquisitely blended. The crust of the pie was infinitely delicious, shortened as it was with lard, and the lard itself, rendered on the farm. The fragrance of these pies as they were taken from the wood stove oven, was only second to their taste. The perfume of hot mince pies wandered out the kitchen windows and mingled naturally and sweetly with all the rich fragrances in the flower garden. For we are speaking now of Santa Barbara where flowers bloom through the winter.

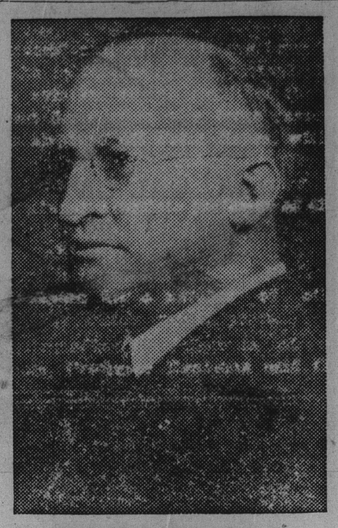
The pig that provided the lard, and the turkey that provided the golden feast, were in a sense friends of ours, and we experienced real pangs of sorrow at their demise. Being children, these pangs of ours were, of course, of short duration. From being merely exterior friends, objective friends as it were, they became an integral part of our being. We felt vaguely that if they but knew how happily they would become assimiliated, reinforcing our strength and adding tremendously to our joy in living, they would have gladly yielded up their rather humdrum lives. In other words it was a comforting thought to feel that the pig and turkey had found a heaven in his friend's, the small boy's stomach.

Out of the truck garden came all manner of fresh vegetables, turnips, beets, lettuce, green peas, string beans, and rich yellow pumpkins. There were savories too, sage, thyme and marioram. So quickly were the vegetables converted into delectable foods, they retained every bit of spice and flavor natural to them in their growing state. Is there anything more ingratiatingly delightful to the palate, than a young turnip snatched from the garden, its crown of leaves tossed into the chicken yard, its white body popped into a pot, boiled tender and then served with fresh butter? And the green peas shelled in all their sugary, callow immaturity, poured into an iron kettle and there covered not with water, but with heaps of lettuce leaves, and allowed to stew gently in their own steaming juices. Ah! Me! Those were the days!

The pumpkin pie of melting texture, standing like a golden brown jelley upon a crispy crust, with buttery eruptions flecking its otherwise placid face, suffered no inferiority complex when seated beside the mince pie Both were tops of their kind, aristocrats of a long and honored lineage. Cranberries in those days were a rare treat indeed, but they did, sparingly, grace the Christmas dinner table. They too had a wondrous way with them, cooked as they were in their jackets and jellied in the spring house. Oh! Boys and girls what a flavor was there!

And uncles and aunts and cousins that came and sat them down around the board. The aunts busily exchanging recipes and chattering of the fashions, or how they made their voluminous dresses last by turning them and making them over. Grandfather with his moustache cup, a very curious piece of crockery, indeed. An uncle with a verticle striped vest, which he called his "gravy waistcoat." Father, with carving tools struggling with a mighty bird, and becoming somewhat embarrassed at being the cynosure of all eyes and appetites. We children, thanks to a kind Providence and parents did not wait for the "second" table, but were permitted (this was considered quite modern) to fill in the chinks around the table between the fat and the lean older folks.

Curious, how around Christmas time, memories of other Christmas days come swarming. As a matter of fact, if one of these nostalgic ones, will use his reasoning powers, if he will even rationalize a little, he will know his memory plays him tricks. He has forgotten that painful colic and stomach ache that followed the Christmas gorging. He has forgotten also that whipping his father gave him late Christmas afternoon, for "sassing" his grandfather.



DISTRICT GOVERNOR BORROUGHS OF ROTARY

ROTARY DIST. GOVERNOR AT THURS. LUNCH

The Nevada City Rotary Club is preparing for the official visit of Joseph N. Borroughs, District Governor, and an official of Rotary International, Thursday, December 15th, at which time there will be held a regular noon luncheon.

In the evening he will meet with President A. M. Holmes, Secretary Carroll Coughlan, the Board of Directors and the committee Chairman of the Nevada City club, to discuss any problems that may have arisen or that may arise in the year to come. At the regular weekly luncheon of the Nevada City Rotary Club, he will bring to the members who do not have the opportunity to attend the Conventions and Conferences, Rotary International in its larger aspects.

Mr. Burroughs, a member of the Rotary club of Oakland, was elected District Governor at the time of the San Francisco International Convention last June. He was born in Orland, Glenn County, California spending seven years of his early youth in Lassen County near Susanville. Since 1904 he has been President and General Manager of the Oakland California Towel Co. He has a record of twenty-nine years of active Rotary service in the Oakland club, No. 3, in which club he served two years as secretary, one year as President and a total of five years on the Board of Directors and is well equipped for the office of District Governor, which brings him into contact with the clubs of this district in an advisory capacity.

The Rotary club has been formed in this city on account of the desire of this great international organization to have itself properly represented in every worthwhile community. For that purpose, men were chosen to represent Rotary to various business and professional classifications, locally existing. These men were chosen on account of certain outstanding qualities, which make them most acceptable as representatives of this great international movement in a community. This gives them a contact, through Rotary with approximately 5000 towns and cities in 87 countries covering the civilized world. Through these contracts, often values which have lain dormant are brought into life in a community, through channel of Rotary as a fountain-head.

The Rotary club brings together worthy representatives of the several lines of business in the community resulting in a mutal better acquaintance and exchange of ideas and viewpoints. The club seeks to cooperate with the several activities and needs of the community, both as a unit and through its individual members.

In line with this ideal of community helpfulness, Rotary has sponsored the work of Boy Scouts, Camp Fire Girls, under privileged children and the like. It endeavors so far as possible, to work with and through such other groups as may be definitely deserving of such cooperation, to the end that all may serve and be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Treglown had as recent guests Mrs. Treglown's cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson of Truckee. Week end guests were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Foote of Grass Valley.

BOY SCOUTS ARE MAKING BIG SALE OF XMAS TREES

The Boy Scouts report Christmas trees as selling well and a brisk demand continues. This week they will get in a truck load of red berries and will have wreaths on sale also. Saturday the boys were given a permit by Ed Martine and went into his property on the Greenhorn Creek and brought in 70 trees for sale on the Alpha lot.

NATIVE OF BLUE TENT ANSWERS LAST CALL

Word was received Saturday of the death in Berkeley of Mrs. William Wiseman, native of the Blue Tent section and the daughter of pioneers of that section who were among the first to settle there. Mrs. Wiseman was the mother of Lester Wiseman of Grass Valley, Jack Wiseman, Genevieve Myers and Mrs. May Davis of Berkeley, and the sister of Mrs. Peter Arbogast of Blue Tent and Mrs. Thomas Corcoran of Town Talk.

QUICK RELIEF FOR DESTITUTE PET HILL FOLKS

The appeal made by Ludwig Netz in the local press last Friday for donations for the relief of the Phillips family, who were left destitute by the fire which destroyed their home on Pet Hill resulted in a quick response among Nevada City and Grass Valley people.

Donators of last week are: Judge Geo. L. Jones, $2.50; R. J. Bennetts, $2.00; Betty Martin West, Charles Graham, C. W. Gwin, Dr. U. H. Stuart and Mrs. Ella Austin, $1.00; Mrs. Hattie Lobdell and Ludwig Netz, $5.00; Mrs. E. J. Baker, 75c. To these donations are added those of Mrs. Tom Coan, H. M. Leete and Carl Johnson, $1.00 each.

Boston Store, pair boots; Cardinal Meat Market, big roast; Purity Meat Market, meat; Safeway Store, groceries; Mrs. Edna Martine, box of canned fruit; Mrs. Minnie Young, clothing; Ernest Towle, canned fruit; Mrs. Moody a bed; Dick Goyne, a bed. Mrs. Lysterup and Mrs. Vanberg, supplies. A Grass Valley woman, dishes, clothing, food.

Late this afternoon two small boys brought into the Nugget office a gift box for the Pet Hill family made destitute by fire last week in which their home and all possessions, save the night clothes they were wearing, were destroyed. This contribution came from the Blue Tent school and was just about all the two youngsters could lift.

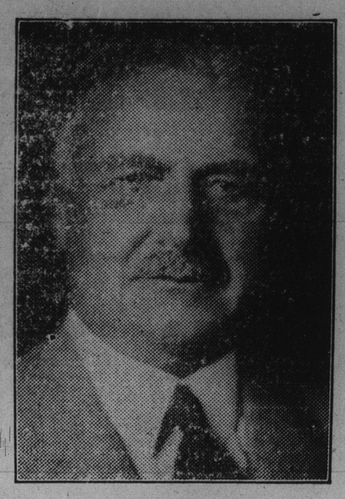
TUBERCULOSIS ASSN. GIVES FREE PROGRAM

The Nevada county tuberculosis assaciation appreciated the splendid program by students in their free program at the elementary school last Friday. The association particularly thanks Mr. Kjorlie, Principal Cecil Klee and teachers of both high and grammar schools for the success of the entertainment. A portion of the program was a tableau of this year's Tuberculosis stamp the pupils carrying out the picture in life size characters and colorings. Mrs. Lebbey's musical selections were also greatly enjoyed.

GASOLINE THIEF IS GIVEN THIRTY DAYS

While making his rounds Sunday morning at 2:05 o'clock Night Officer Jim Allen picked up Frank Black on the depot lot with a five gallon gasoline can of gas and hose. He had used the hose to drain gasoline from a car that had been in a collision. The machine had a fender damaged and had been pulled up on the lot.

Allen arrested Black and told him to appear in court Monday morning. He came before City Judge Miles Coughlin this forenoon plead guilty and was given a 30 day jail sentence. The 30 days were suspended that he go home at 9 o'clock and remain at home every evening. The youth who is only 20 years of age admits freely that he had stolen gasoline before.



A. P. GIANNINI
Founder of Bank of America

U. S. CAN GIVE WORLD EXAMPLE OF TOLERANCE

A call for the practice of tolerance in this country as never before is sounded by A. N. Giannini founder of Bank of America, in a Christmas greeting to thousands of employees of the institution, published today in The Bankamerica, monthly employee publication.

Americans can do a big job for world stability without getting themselves entangled in the affairs of foreign countries, he asserts.

"It can be done through example," declares the California financier. "We can prove that every race and every creed has something important to contributee to our economy, to our culture, and to our spiritual progress.

"The vice of intolerance has been the wrecker of empires throughout all history. On the other hand, America's famous melting pot has produced an alloy from which has been forged the stuff that is America—a land where scientific progress thrives, where invention creates new industries, where the language of music speaks in a new and vibrant voice, where art and literature take on new freshness, where standards of living rise steadily higher and higher and where individual opportunity exists as nowhere in the world.

"We are jealous of our constitutional freedom. Yet freedom of the individual depends upon his respect for the freedom of his neighbor. We preserve freedom for ourselves by extending it to others.

"It is important, therefore, that we practice tolerance in this country as never before, and that we steadfastly fight against any form of racial or religious prejudice or hatred, whether it involves Catholic, Protestant or Jew.

"At a time when crushing handicaps are being imposed on race and creed in other lands, we should bend increasing efforts to demonstrate the equality that underlies the American philosophy.

"That example and its fruits," Giannini concludes, "will show the world that the 'American way' is the best way, the way of richer and happier living."

ENGLEBRIGHT IS HYDRAULIC ASSN. GUEST SPEAKER

Congressman Harry L. Englebright was guest speaker at a meeting of the California Hydraulic Mining Association meeting at the Colfax Hotel in Colfax Saturday evening. He discussed the hydraulic situation and program on the different dams now under construction, progress on the Narrows dam near Smartville; also progress being made on the Bear river water shed.

Present for this meeting were S. B. Show, regional forester of the San Francisco office; DeDitt Nelson, superintendent of the Tahoe National Forest of Nevada City; debris commissioner Major Johnson, newly appointed member, and Major Harri also of the debris commission.

The meeting was a joint gathering of the hydraulic mine association and forest service officials.

Mrs. Will Treglown of Piety Hill entertained two tables of contract bridge Tuesday afternoon. A dainty bridge luncheon was served for the delightful occasion.

Nevada City Puts On Yuletide Dress

Christmas is just around the corner. More and more the gay decorations, trees, lights and beautifully decorated show windows are appearing from day to day.

The P. G. & E. company strung the gay red, white and blue lights throughout the business district Saturday. The Bank of America set their tree and decorated it during the week end. Today a tree of about the same size was set at the Shreiber Cafe corner and will also be lighted for the holidays. The cross and string of lights on the big tree at the southern entrance of Nevada City giving a gay welcome to all who enter. The wiring was done by P. G. & E. linemen.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zunino of Prospect Hill have decorated a Christmas tree wth blue lights, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Deeter of Glenwood lighted a beautiful tree on their country place at Glenwood that may be seen by every one who pases along the highway.

Max Solaro, fire truck driver, has moved his Santa Claus, reindeer and sleight to the top of the city hall and with the lighted trees it is a beautiful spectacle.

MOTHER OF JOSEPH DAY SUCCUMBS, AGED 75 YRS.

Joseph Day, trustees of the Gold Flat school has received a message that his mother has passed away in St. Helena Sunday Mrs Day was 75 years of age and had been a resident of Nevada county about 20 years the Joe Day ranch being the old family home. She was a member of Neva Rebekah Lodge of Nevada City.

She leaves the following sons and daughters, Joe Day, Gold Flat; Geo. Day, Grass Valley; Carl Day, Forest; Earl Day, Dixon and Ray Day, Petaluma with whom she lived; two daughters, Mrs Growden, Lodi and Grace Day Pilsbury of Florida; a brother, George Hargrave, Nevada City.

George Hargrave has gone to Petaluma but other family members are awaiting word of the funeral arrangements. Burial will be in Napa.

THURMAN ASKS NOR. CAL. MEMBER ON GAME BOARD

Assemblyman elect Allen C. Thurman, of this district, is soliciting the support of the various sportsmen's organizations and central committees throughout the Sixth Assembly District in bringing to the attention of Governor-elect Culbert Olson, the need for representation on the Fish and Game Commission by this area which is the sportsmens paradise of the state. The new governor will appoint his new commission shortly after the first of the year.

Heretofore, members of the Fish and Game Commission have been appointed from the larger cities of the state. It is Thurman's belief that the territory in which thousands of sportsmen fish and hunt, should be represented on the commission. A representative from this area, who knows the needs from the angle of the sportsmen, the Assemblyman-elect believes would greatly assist in improving conditions for the sportsmen who annually spend millions of dollars throughout the state, a large share of which is spent in the ten counties of this assembly district.

ELKS 145 LB. QUINT BEATS SACTO. TEAM

The Nevada City Elks 145 pound basketball team played the Motor Vehicle Department 145 pound team of Sacramento Saturday and won by a score of 37 to 30. The Nevada City Elks Varsity team played the Atlas Blueprint Company team of Sacramento on the same date, the local team's winning score was 45 to 32. The Atlas Blueprint company team was the winner of the Sacramento City church league under the Baptist church banner and had been defeated only once this season.

The Elks teams are now an organized and well rounded team, two deep at all positions and ready to make a worthy opponent for any team. Next games will be Wednesday when as a preliminary, the 145 pounds are to be arranged as Varsity vs. Paolini Brothers of Roseville.

The Elks 145 under lineup is as follows: Toccalini, Novak, Graham, Clarke, Davey, Steger, Dick Stevens and Walt Hallet. The Varsity lineup: R. Toms, E. Skeahan, D. Verlod, E. Krasevac, G. Cooper, Bob Tamblyn, Ostrom, Tex Wilson and Dillinger.

CIVIC CLUB SETS DEC. 22 WHITE XMAS PROGRAM

The Women's Civic club will this year present its White Christmas program on Thursday, December 22. The exeercises, in which all school children participate will be given on the front steps of the county court house at 2:15 o'clock in the afternoon.

The committee is in need of cash gifts and toys. Any toy that can be repaired, repainted or dressed up again, will be gratefully received. Any gifts of any kind for the annual White Christmas giving can be left at the Nugget office. The Rotary club has started the White Christmas fund with a gift of $5.00.

FEDERAL PRISON PAROLE VIOLATOR ARRESTED

Claud Powers, parole violator from Atlanta prison, was picked up on Broad street Saturday by secret service men. McCullough of Sacramento was the arresting officer. Powers was placed in the city jail and a United States Marshal will call for him today. Officers have been on the lookout for Powers about Nevada City for two years.

WITH MONEY IN BANK SACTO. MAN TAKES OWN LIFE

James J. Muir, aged 57 years, committed suicide in the Holbrooke Hotel sometime Saturday night or early Sunday morning by slashing his throat with a razor. He registered at the hotel at 5 o'clock Saturday evening. Mrs. McArthur, the proprietor's wife, found the body in bed at one o'clock yesterday when she entered to clean up the room.

Coroner A. M. Holmes, the sheriff's office and chief of police of Grass Valley were notified. Coroner Holmes, Deputy Sheriff Will Woods, Chief of Police Ben Jenkins and assistants Sproul, Mays and Williford responded to the phone call of Mrs. McArthur.

Blood was found on the faucets, wash bowl, through the hallway, on his suit case and on the bed, the bloody razor being on a chair beside the bed.

Coroner Holmes has found so far that he was registered as James J. Muir, in the Grass Valley hotel and on his auto pink slip, J. A. Muir on his bank deposit in a bank at 6th and K streets, Sacramento where he had $1400 on deposit. Checking back further it was found he signed his name as J. A. Norden at Bishop, California. Investigations are not completed. The body is at Holmes-Hooper Funer-Home in Grass Valley awaiting funeral arrangements.

VACATION IN HIGH SCHOOL'S NIGHT CLASSES

The Nevada City high school night courses, which have been a nightly feature at the high school, will be discontinued Thursday, according to the announcement made by Principal H. E. Kjorlie. It is probable that the classes will be continued after the first of the year.

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The 1939 Legislature

Lawmaking time is just around the corner, with the 1939 session of the State Legislature scheduled to convene on the first Monday in January.

Scores of newly-elected legislators will take their seats in the Senate and Assembly at the January meeting—many, perhaps, anxious to revolutionize our social and economic system: others, in all probability, quietly resolved to represent their districts, without show or bombast, and to give the best that is in them, in honest, intelligent public service.

It is neither our province nor our purpose to tell California's freshman class of legislators how they should vote on specific legislation. But if we correctly interpret current public sentiment in California, we believe the time has come to call a halt to visionary experimentation. We are all a little tired of get-rich-quick schemes and spectacular social panaceas. We are all a little irritated with junketing trips to Utopia.

Our advice to our new legislators—and we believe most of our readers will concur in it—is: Give us more quality in legislation, and less quantity. Give us plain, common sense business practice—and less overhead. Give us 50 bills, instead of 2,000. And give us a relief from will-o'-the-wisp ventures, crack-pot schemes and class legislation. Instead of adding $50,000,000 to the budget, we'd like a $50.000,000 reduction. And that objective we recommend both the freshmen and veterans.—Contributed.

Old Mark Would Laugh

A worrisome duty imposed by custom is the remembrance of birthdays. We overlook a relative's natal day, and the unintentional slight is keenly felt and is embarrassing to us. Sometimes we forget our own birthdays — especially if we've had more of them than we like to think about.

Last week most Americans "overlooked" the birthday of Mark Twain, who was born 103 years ago. That would amuse old Mark, looking back at the world at which he poked lifelong fun. What matters, to be sure, is not the day on which he was born, but that he was born to write "Huckleberry Finn," "Tom Sawyer," and "Joan of Arc"; that he gave us such rich and original humor as the information that fleas are good for a dog because they keep him from brooding on the circumstance that he is a dog; that — an author who never wrote a "love"story—he compressed all the poetry of romance of all the world into six words in his "Adam and Eve" when he had Adam say, at the end: "Where Eve was, there was Eden."

Great men do not need to have their birthdays remarked to gain immortal memory. Mark Twain would laugh at the suggestion that they should. The fruits of that great American's genius eternally enrich American intellectual life. Mark Twain might—on the surface—laugh at that, too. But he'd love it. You bet he would! He was so exceedingly human.—Contributd.

THIS AND THAT

By ROY GRIFFITHS DEETER

Well, here we are just twelve days away from Christmas, gosh, you better get a move on with that shopping, or you will find yourselves with little to choose from, this amazing weather should be a big help. It simply coaxes one out of doors. We notice that the Christmas trees are beginning to blossom, they look so pretty dotted here and there with a background of hills and pines, we hope just everybody will take the trobule to light an out-door tree this year. Heaven knows, with all the unhappiness there is in Europe, the complete lack of peace and goodwill, the more we can put behind the Christmas spirit in our own little community the better it will be. It is so little trouble to run a few strings of lights about a tree, it does not cost very much either, but its value, when done, in the way of beauty and symbolism is worth the effort. Nevada City, in the past few years, has become quite noted for its out door trees; it would be grand if a special effort were made this year So let's go!

And speaking about the weather, right now is a grand time to get in those new shrubs and things you have been planning to improve the garden with next year. The advantage of doing your planting now, is that all winter the plant will be putting out new roots, and in the spring it will be twice as sturdy, and make a rapid growth. We always try and get things into the ground in the fall or early winter, and we have found that up here it works beautifully. Of course by this we don't plant our zinnias now—we are speaking of shrubs and bulbs and hardy plants. And don't be afraid to prune either. You can whack things to the point that they just up and die on you, but a pretty heavy pruning is oftimes more beneficial than dangerous. However when in doubt, call up our local expert, and we don't mean us!

Personalities: Lil Zimmerman, looking vera, vera smart in a kelly grenn outfit most suitable to her Irish coloring and lineage. Vinzent Warren just back from a grand week end in the big city, and incidentally a nice sound nap in the ferry building. Margarite Attebery up to spend Christmas in these hyar hills.

And with this we say, cheerio, everybody!

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Reno Macari in Sacramento, December 4, 1938, a son. Mr. and Mrs. Macari reside in Alleghany and she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Develey, Sr., of that city.

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Charles Wyant left Saturday evening on a 1,000 mile drive into Arizona to be at the bedside of his aged mother who is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Bolton and children motored to Angels Camp Sunday to visit a brother of Mr. Bolton and also to view the ruins of a disastrous fire which burned a whole block in the little city but did not harm the Bolton store in the next block.

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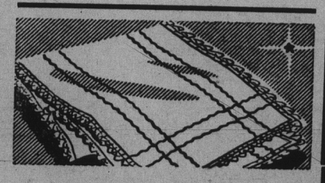

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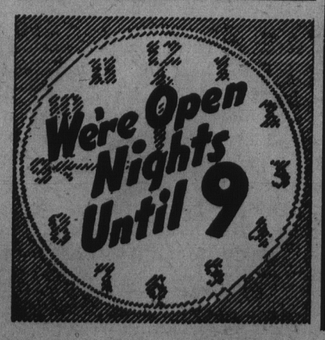

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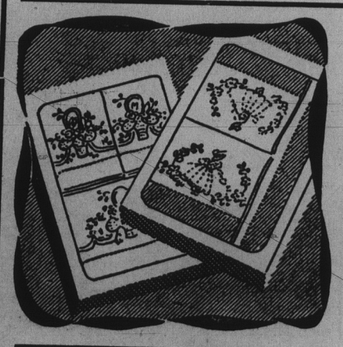

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Deterioration in automobile tires is brought about largely by three factors, heat, light and oil, reports L. G. Evans, General Service Manager of the National Automobile Club. The most important of these is heat and heat is increased by underinflation.

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"GHOST BEAMS" SUN SPOTS NOW IMPORTANT

BERKELEY, Dec. 12. — "Ghost beams" and sun spots are bound to take an increasingly important place in aviation as the result of the recent destruction of a large passenger airplane off Point Reyes, with a resultant loss of five lives. This is indicated by Professor Lester E. Reukema, associate professor of electrical engineering in the University of California. These "ghost beams" were held responsible by Professor Reukema for a number of other crashes within recent years.

Regarding the influence of sun spots, Professor Reukema said that these spots tend to produce a heavy ionization of the upper atmosphere, which ionization tends to deflect the radio beams toward the earth. As this ceiling of ionization is very irregular, it may cause a number of beams to come in on an airplane set with a strength and vibrancy that have no relation to the nearness or the distance of the sending station from the aircraft. This apparently accounted for the fact that Captain Charles B. Stead of the wrecked airliner, was lured off his course by such beams, as sunspot influence is being felt at this time.

The so-called "ghost beams," which take on all of the characteristics of real radio beams, ordinarily occur over rugged territory, where couter reflections from mountains, hills and canyons rob the true beams of some of their properties and create spurious beams thereby. These "ghost beams" sometimes appear to end abruptly close to the mountain peak. The trained pilot, when he experiences this phenomenon, attempts to rise sharply in order to clear the natural obstruction. But sometimes the wings of the craft are so heavily burdened with ice or moisture, that he cannot rise quickly enough and a mishap results.

Until recently it had not been supposed that these "ghost beams" occurred at any considerable distance away from moutainous country, he said. But one aviator reported one of the beams off the Golden Gate within recent weeks. The area in which the most recent airplane disaster occurred is of the rugged type, with high cliffs arising from the ocean, and is located within 100 miles of the Golden Gate.

LEGAL VIEW OF GUEST VERSUS DRIVER

By statute, a guest has no cause for action against the driver or the owner of an automobile unless it can be proved that the driver was intoxicated or was guilty of wilful misconduct, according to Bruce Murchison, of the Legal Department of the National Automobile Club. The owner of an automobile may have liability to the guest, however, for simple negligence if he were to permit an unlicensed and unskillful driver to take his car knowing such driver will transport persons as guests. The owner must use reasonable care in selecting the person to whom he lends his car.

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BEWILDERED ZOO BEAR CLAWS PAINTER

Members of the animal kingdom are unpredictable, but the blue ribron awards for remarkable behavior can be carried off by the human animal, any day. Recently a young woman artist sketching a polar bear at the Cleveland Zoo slipped from her precarious perch and fell into the bear pit. Silver, a shaggy 600 pounds of white polar animal, clawed his unexpected visitor severely before keepers arrived to drive him off. The dumb brute knew no better. It is doubtful if he has learned anything in the past fortnight, either. During this interval, spectators at the zoo have been angrily hurling sticks, rocks, tobacco cans, and chunks of concrete at the bewildered animal. Instead of protecting the public from the animal, the zoo officials have found it necessary to protect the animal from the public, so Silver has been placed behind a barricaded cage, beyond the reach of rock-throwers and poisoners. Anyway, man's curious inhumanity to a dumb brute won't give Silver any white hairs. Fortunately, he was born that way!

COUNTY FAIR DATE SET

The directors of the Seventeenth Agricultural Association met in Grass Valley Thursday night and after completing business pertaining to the county fair in October, laid plans for the 1939 county fair. They set the dates for the coming fair for September 15, 16 and 17. This is a month earlier than the fair was held this year and falls more in line with the harvests throughout the district. A horse show will again be a big feature.

AVERAGE MOTORIST GOOD DRIVER

Not only does the average person think he knows how to drive and avoid accident he does most of the time, reports the Safety Department of the National Automobile Club. Thirty million automobiles being driven about ten thousand miles each year, show a total of 300,000,000,000car miles. If this figure were divided by the 39,000 motor traffic fatalities, more than half of which are pedestrians, it is realized that the average American does know how to drive.

CAROLERS TO SERENADE CITY FOR CHRISTMAS

Grass Valley Christmas Carol singers after reorganizing the latter part of November are preparing to sing about the city on Christmas eve and during the day. They will call on the sick and shut-ins unable to get out to hear the services. The carolers have carried out this custom for 60 years. Harold George, who has been with the group of Cornish singers 30 years, begins his 15th year as director. John Nankervis is president and John Gilbert is secretary.

This choir throughout the years has maintained 60 members some of the present singers having been with the carolers between 35 and 40 years. Each year young boys are trained for the alto parts. This year there are twelve boys training. As they graduate to first and second tenor and bass parts, other boys are trained to take their places.

Plans are being discussed to make the caroler group a permanent organization throughout the year and also arrange for a mixed choir of male and female voices. The carolers would maintain about 125 singers in the association. The Cornish Christmas Carol Singers have sung in Nevada City on many occasions and it has been a pleasure to hear the splendid group of voices singing in the cold winter nights.

Grant Lysterup, small son of Mr. and Mrs. George Lysterup of Grove street is ill in Landis Clinic in Grass Valley. He has been in the clinic several days and it is expected he will be able to return home in about two weeks.

N. A. Palmer was called to Sacramento Friday on account of the death of his aunt.

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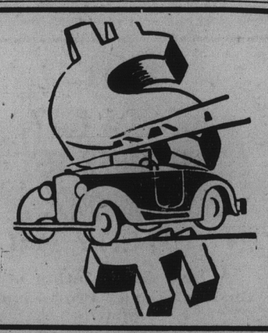

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POINT REYES DISASTER FIRST IN FIVE YEARS

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WIFE AS BREADWINNER MUST PAY ALIMONY

A San Diego man asks a superior court to cite his wife for contempt of court. She has failed to pay him his alimony. This is not the first time this reversal of traditional procedure has occurred. With increasing numbers of women seeking to earn their own board and keep, it is certainly not apt to be the last. It's the breadwinner, in most cases, who rules the roost, whether the breadwinner answers to the title of Mr. or Mrs. How far this drive of women toward economic independence will go is impossible to say. But when it reaches the point where Husband John looks up from the evening newspaper and says, "Sweetheart, how shall I vote in the next election?" it will have gone far enough if not too far.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE OF BONDS OF NEVADA CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, State of California, at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said County, County Courthouse, Nevada City, California, until 10:00 o'clock A. M., of Wednesday, the 14th day of December, 1938, for the purchase of $20,000 principal amount of bonds of Nevada City Unified School District. Said bonds constitute the entire issue of bonds of said District, authorized at an election held in said District on August 6, 1938, at which election 260 votes were cast in favor of said bonds and 103 votes were cast against; said bonds, and will be issued for the following purposes: the building or purchasing of high school buildings, the making of alterations or additions to the high school building or buildings, other than such as may be necessary for current maintenance and operation or repair, the supplying of high school buildings with furniture or necessary apparatus of a permanent nature, and the permanent improvement of the high school grounds. Said authorized issue consists of 20 bonds, numbered consecutively from 1 to 20, both inclusive, all dated December 1, 1938, bearing interest at the rate of not to exceed five (5) per cent per annum, payable annually for the first year, and semi-annually thereafter on June 1st and December 1st of each year. Each of said bonds is of the denomination of $1,000 and both principal and interest thereon are payable in lawful money of the United States, at the office of the County Treasurer of Nevada County, Nevada City, California. Said bonds mature and are payable in consecutive numerical order from lower to higher, as follows:

"One (1) bond on December 1st in each of the years 1939 to 1958, both inclusive.

"Said bonds will be in coupon form, but registerable as to both principal and interest. Bidders must specify the rate of interest which the bonds shall bear. Different rates of interest may be fixed for different maturities of said bonds, and it shall not be necessary that all bonds offered for sale bear the same rate of interest. The interest rate or rates stated in the bids must be in a multiple of one-quarter of one (.0025) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually (except the first year). The best bid will be determined by deducting from the total amount of interest which the District would be required to pay up to the maturity of the bonds at the coupon rate or rates specified in the bid, the amount of the premium, if any, bid therefor, and the award will be made on the basis of the lowest net interest cost to the District.

"With each bid must be submitted a certified check or cashier's check in the sum of $5,000, payable to the order of the County Treasurer of Nevada County, as a guarantee that the bidder will purchase and pay for the said bonds in the event his bid is accepted. Bids will be received for all or any of said $20,000 principal amount of said bonds at not less than their par value and accrued interest as specified. All bids must be unconditional, and, together with bidder's check must be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed 'Proposal for Nevada City Unified School District bonds'.

"The Board of Supervisors hereby reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

"The legal opinion of Messrs. Orrick, Dahlquist, Neff and Herrington, of San Francisco, California, approving the validity of said bonds, will be furnished to the successful bidder without charge, together with a certified copy of the transcript of proceedings.

"Said bonds will constitute valid and legally binding general obligations of said District, and all taxable property in said District subject to taxation by said District (except certain intangible personal property, which is taxable at limited rates), will be subject to an ad valorem tax for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon, without limitation of rate or amount.

"There is no controversy or litigation pending or threatened concerning the validity of the organization of said District, the validity of said bonds, or the title of the officers of said District to their respective offices.

"The assessed value of taxable property situate within said District, as shown by the last equalized assessment roll of said County of Nevada, is $1,829,130.00. The outstanding bonded indebtedness of said District (exclusive of this issue) for high school purposes, is the sum of $52,500. Said District has existed as a high school district continuously since 1862.

"Further information relative to the financial condition of the District will be furnished to any bidder upon request."

By order of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, State of California.

Dated: November 25, 1938.

R. N. McCORMACK,
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Nevada County, California.

Nov. 28, Dec. 5, Dec. 12.

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"Aunt Kate" Sullivan who has been very ill in the Nevada City Sanitarium for about a month was able to return to her home in French Corral last Thursday. While at the sanitarium she celebrated her 80th birthday. Her wide circle of friends are pleased she has so far recovered that she is able to return home.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, December 27, 1938 an election will be held in the Sweetland School House for the purpose of determining whether or not, that the Sweetland School District shall be annexed to the Nevada City Unified School District.

Polls open from 2 p. m. to 6 p. m.

Election Board:
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CAMPTONVILLE NOTES

CAMPTONVILLE, Dec. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hanson and daughters of Hammonton were in town Thursday visiting their old home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Kendall of Hammonton arrived Thursday on a short visit to their summer home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Joubert returned Thursday from a few days visit at San Francisco.

Jacob Dietrich who was seriously ill Thursday was reported as on the improve.

Mrs. Violet Burns and her mother Mrs Janet Morehead left Friday for a visit to their old home at Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Joubert left a few days ago for a few days visit at San Francisco.

Velma P. Johnson and Frances P. Mattoon of Marysville were guests at the Cleveland home over the week end.

Miss Dorothy Hays spent the week end at Browns Valley visiting her parents.

Fred H. Butz injured his hand while working at the Grant and Heether lumber company mill Tuesday and was taken to Nevada City for medical attention by W. O. Grant.

Quartz and placer claim location notice blanks at the Nugget office.

"I'm sober enough to drive" are words which are a sure sign of trouble, reports the Safety Department of the National Automobile Club. It isn't always the drunken driver who causes accidents. It has been reliably reported that many serious accidents are caused by drivers who have had just a few drinks, enough to interfere with their good judgment; to slow up their reaction time.

HOCKEY BOSS

Ching Johnson, veteran defense man of the National Hockey league, poses in the uniform of the Minneapolis Millers of the American Association Hockey league, the team which he has been appointed to manage. Johnson, for many years a key player in the defensive line of the New York Rangers, was a player and coach for the New York Americans last year.

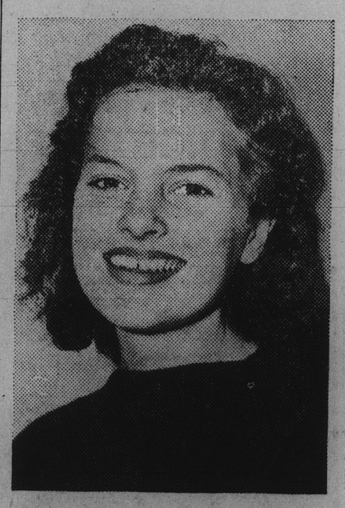
FANNY'S FREE

Fanny Brice, famous comedienne of the stage and screen, as she appeared in court in Los Angeles, where she obtained a divorce from Billy Rose, her theatrical producer husband. Fanny told the court "her man" had deserted her and wouldn't return.

Degrees of Manslaughter

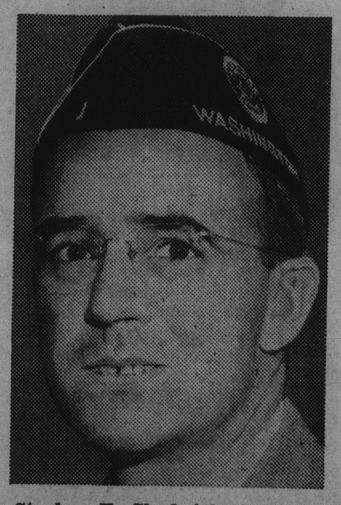
In some states three or four degrees of manslaughter are recognized.

'IDEAL CO-ED'



Miss Mary Grabhorn, 17 years old, of Short Hills, N. J., was chosen as the "ideal American college girl" in a contest which barred all "career girls." Miss Grabhorn, who entered Blue Ridge college as a freshman this fall, was chosen on "avowed pursuit of marriage and a home."

LEADS LEGION



Stephen F. Chadwick, Seattle attorney, is the new national commander of the American Legion. He was given the high office by acclamation at the annual Legion convention in Los Angeles.

V. F. W. ASSIST IN FUNERAL SERVICES

Funeral services were held at one o'clock this afternoon for the late William F. Shafer. Deceased was a miner from Freemans Crossing. He was brought to the county hospital Friday and died an hour after his arrival there. Deceased was born at Saginaw, Michigan in 1877 and had resided in California 35 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Evalin Shafer of North San Juan and two brothers in Saginaw, Michigan.

Deceased was a Spanish American war veteran. Veterans of Banner Mt. Post assembled at the Holmes Funeral Home to take part in the services. Interment was in Pine Grove cemetery.

SCHOOL VACATION

CAMPTONVILLE, Dec. 12.—The Camptonville Union Grammar and Camptonville branch of the Marysville Union High School closed for the fall term last week and after three months winter vacation will re-open in the middle part of March, the local schools being one of the few summer schools of the county.

MARGARET PHARISS ON U. C. ADVISORY BOARD

Margaret Phariss, of Nevada City, has been appointed member of the Student Advisory Bureau. The Student Advisory Bureau is one of the most important activities of honor students. Through this bureau honor students offer free advice in many lower division courses and in some upper division courses to students having difficulties.

The teachers, Mrs. Grace Pauly, Constance Pfiffer and Lesta Joubert plan on spending most of the winter vacation at their respective homes here.

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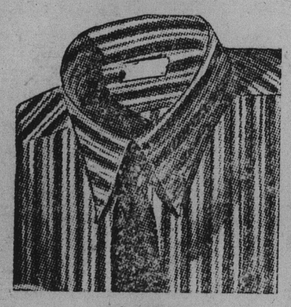

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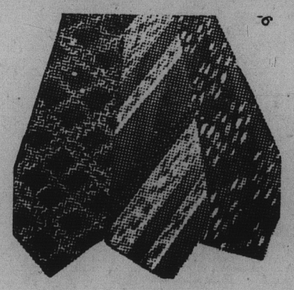

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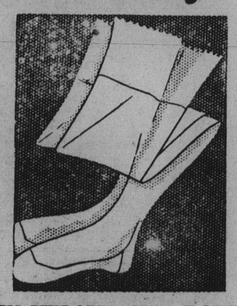
Give Her Holeproof Hosiery



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Social Events

New Married Couple Hold Open House

CAMPTONVILLE, Dec. 12.— The newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Flagg, have held open house for the past week, welcoming guests and their many friends who have called to offer their congratulations. Their wedding presents which they have received from far and near were displayed and tea was served.

The couple, Mrs. Leona Ruth Cruse and Albert E. Flagg were married on November 23, 1938 at the home of the bride's son, George Cruse, on 43rd Avenue in San Francisco. A large wedding with 70 attendants was held.

The ceremony being officiated by Rev. Jewel Howard, assisted by a younger Rev. Howard. After the ceremony refreshments were partaken of.

Albert E. Flagg was born at Indian Hill, near here, spent his youth in this section, his father operating a general merchandise store. He later moved to San Francisco where he was first in the butcher business and afterward served the Pacific Gas & Electric company as collector in the San Francisco Chinatown district for over forty years. He was retired about two years ago, and after the many years of absence returned here to spend a couple of weeks at his old home. He liked it so well and was so well received by his old friends that he decided to return here to live. He took up residence on Spencer street where he has resided for the past year and where he and his bride expect to continue their home.

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Christmas Party Tonight For Civic Club

The president, officers and committee members of the Nevada City Women's Civic club are hoping for a 100 per cent membership attendance at the party tonight. This is the only party of the year that has been for members only. There will be card games, mah jongg and refreshments. Mrs. Charles Elliott is chairman of the entertainment committee, Mrs. H. M. Leete of the refreshment committee. Each member will please bring a cup and spoon for her own use.

Those who so desire may bring new or rehabilitated white wrapped gift for the children's White Christmas.

B. P. W. C. Will Have Xmas Dinner Tonight

The Business and Professional Women's Club will have a Christmas party at the Nevada City Club tonight at seven o'clock. Dinner will be served at seven and be followed by Christmas festivities. Each member is requested to bring a gift, not to exceed 25 cents in value for the tree.

Miss Nellie Leonard and Mrs. Arnold (Pat) Jackson have charge of the arrangements for the evening, and promise members and their guests an evening of enjoyment. Reservations or cancellations may be made by calling Mrs. Jackson, 434-J.

NEVADA CITY CLUB HOLDS GALA OPENING

The Nevada City Club opened its newly decorated and excellently appointed dining room to the public Saturday night, a gala and festive atmosphere delighting everyone present. A baked ham dinner, tasty enough to satisfy the most meticulous epicure, featured the evening's meal.

Tonight twenty five women of the Business and Professional Women's Club are having a special Christmas dinner celebration in the club dining room where a Christmas tree has been arranged for the occasion.

It is the purpose of the Nevada City Club to combine quality food with deluxe service. The management states that already many reservations have been made for private parties and New Years reservations are now being taken.

Mrs. Lucille Tucker and Leonard Lourensen of Sacramento spent Thursday evening visiting Mrs. Tucker's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ewing, on the Tahoe Ukiah highway east of Nevada City.

Basketball !
Two Games
NEVADA CITY ELKS
Versus
PAOLINI BROTHERS
Of Roseville
Wednesday Dec. 14th
NEVADA CITY ELKS "B" TEAM
in a fast preliminary
NEVADA CITY HIGH SCHOOL GYM
Admission 35 cents

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

By JEAN MARTZ

On Friday night the Nevada City Yellowjackets won in both games against East Nicolaus. The game was in the Nevada city high school gym with a good sized audience. The preliminary game between the B teams was won by the local boys with a score twice that of their opponents, 19-38. Pingree and Ruth were high point men.

The boys on the A team did splendid work also. With Kopp running up 18 points to be high point man, the home team won 48-33. Coach Martin is very proud of his team for they have been playing very fine basketball.

CANDY SALE

The girls' league held a candy sale at the game Friday night. The girls have planned a vigorous campaign to raise money because they want to send a large delegation to the older girs' conference at Richardson's Springs next spring. A Nevada City girl, Virginia Carney, is vice president of the conference.

EDUCATIONAL MOVIES

Friday the assembly was entertained by motion pictures. There were several educational movies about Yosemite Park and a comedy which pleased the student body very much.

A number of special assemblies have been arranged, including more movies, a glass blower's program, a "spooks and frauds" assembly and several others. All these things add interest to the school year.

HIGH SCHOOL CHORUS

The high school helped in the program at the grammar school on Friday evening. Chorus sang "Cousin Jedediah," "Vanka n'Tanka" and "Joy to the World." Laura Price gave an address on Tuberculosis. This program is part of a great campaign against this dread disease.

SERVICES HELD FOR LATE WILLIAN SHAFER

Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Holmes Funeral Home for the late William Frederick Shafer, miner, aged 61 years, who died Friday afternoon as a result of a heart attack. Shafer had been mining at Freeman's Crossing and succumbed shortly after he had been brought to the county hospital.

The deceased was born at Saginaw, Michigan. He was a Spanish War veteran. Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Evalin Shafer, residing at North San Juan, and two brothers living in Michigan. Interment was made in Pine Grove cemtery.

SENTENCED TO JAIL

Donald Usrey was arrested by Officer Max Solaro Sunday on an indecent exposure charge on Broad street in the vicinity of the Chinese produce store. When Solaro attempted to place him under arrest he jerked away, struck at the officer and ran. Solaro caught up with him at Commercial street and placed him in the city jail.

This morning Chief of Police Garfield Robson placed a charge of indecent exposure against him and he came up in the justice court. Judge Miles Coughlin, acting for Judge W. L. Mobley, gave him 60 days in the county jail.

CIVIL SERVICE TESTS AT HIGHWAY OFFICES

State Department Division of Highways officials held a civil service examination at the local highway yard at Nevada City's southern city limits Saturday one hundred and forty two men from Nevada, Yuba and Sutter counties taking the physical tests. Qualifications for the work will be decided at headquarters in Sacramento. A large portion of these men were from Nevada county.

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